

HW2 Dry

1.

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class Observable<A> private constructor(private val value: A) {
    private var observers = mutableList0f<(Any) -> Unit>()

    companion object {
        fun <A> of(a: A) = Observable(a)
    }

    fun <B> flatMap(f: (A) -> Observable<B>): Observable<B> {
        val newVal = f(value)
        observers.forEach { it(newVal.value as Any) }
        newVal.observers = observers
        return newVal
    }

    fun subscribe(f: (Any) -> Unit) = observers.add(f)
    fun unsubscribe(f: (Any) -> Unit) = observers.remove(f)
}
```

2.

Left Identity:

`Observable.of(value).flatMap(f) == f(value)`

Right identity:

`m.flatMap{ Observable.of(it) } == m`

Value in m is the same, and the observers list is also copied so it is equivalent monad.

Associativity

`m.flatMap(f).flatMap(g) === m.flatMap{ f(it).flatMap(g) }`

Value is obviously the same at both sides, as it transferred simply by invoking f as in the simple Box example. The list of observers in lhs is equal to rhs, since we never removing and we always propagate it via flatMap.